

Cosmo Paris

Cosmo Paris was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 59

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jan 6, 2014 08:01

Date of death: Jan 8, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Returning

Fixed property use: Educational

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Cliffside Park Fire Department
525 Palisade AVE USNG: 18T WL 8534 1942
Cliffside Park, NJ 07010
Chief: Brian Martone

Christ Kasseen Swan

Christ Kasseen Swan was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 57

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Industrial

Incident date: Jan 10, 2014 21:00

Date of death: Jan 10, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Support

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Non-Fire

Fixed property use: Industry

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Lockheed Martin Aeronautical Fire Department
86 South Cobb Drive, RPM-4, Mail0491 USNG: 16S GC 27 57
Marietta, GA 30063
Chief: Chief Willie Parker

James “Doc” Delbert Brooks

James “Doc” Delbert Brooks was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 61

Rank: Firefighter/EMT

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jan 7, 2014 00:10

Date of death: Jan 15, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Prince George's Fire/EMS Department
9201 Basil CT, STE 452 USNG: 18S UJ 3990 0896
Largo, MD 20774-5310
Chief: Marc S. Bashoor

Gregory J Hennessey

Gregory J Hennessey was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 49

Rank: Fire Engineer

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 20, 2014 09:40

Date of death: Jan 20, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Orange County Fire Authority
OCFA Fire Station No. 45 30131 Aventura
Rancho Santa Margarita, CA 92688
Chief: Jeff Bowman

Stephen Arthur Machcinski

Stephen Arthur Machcinski was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 42

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 26, 2014 14:30

Date of death: Jan 26, 2014

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Toledo Fire and Rescue Department
545 N Huron ST U.S. National Grid: 17T KA 8903 1468
Toledo, OH 43604-1773
Chief: Luis Santiago

James Allen Dickman

James Allen Dickman was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 31

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 26, 2014 14:30

Date of death: Jan 26, 2014

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Toledo Fire and Rescue Department
545 N Huron ST U.S. National Grid: 17T KA 8903 1468
Toledo, OH 43604-1773
Chief: Luis Santiago

Ricky Lee Winkles, Sr.

Ricky Lee Winkles, Sr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 53

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 28, 2014 17:00

Date of death: Jan 28, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Trumann Fire Department
PO Box 171, 801 W Main ST U.S. National Grid: 15S YA 2454 5034
Trumann, AR 72472

Michael Dale Garrett

Michael Dale Garrett was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 28

Rank: Firefighter/EMT-I

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Feb 1, 2014 11:57

Date of death: Feb 1, 2014

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Search and Rescue

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Non-Fire

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Nutter Fort Fire Department
1415 Buckhannon Pike U.S. National Grid: 17S NA 5876 4508
Nutter Fort, WV 26301
Chief: Jeremy Haddix

Thomas Gerald Lee

Thomas Gerald Lee was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 67

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jan 31, 2014 10:33

Date of death: Feb 1, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Four Oaks Fire Department
100 Keen ST U.S. National Grid: 17S QA 3358 2521
Four Oaks, NC 27524
Chief: Barry Stanly

Dwight Reid Hilton

Dwight Reid Hilton was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 57

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Feb 1, 2014 12:30

Date of death: Feb 1, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

Department information

East Central Volunteer Fire Department
4342 East Newman RD U.S. National Grid: 15R YA 1901 5369
Liberty, MS 39645
Chief: Campbell (Cam) Sharp

Bruce Arthur Stayner

Bruce Arthur Stayner was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 49

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Feb 3, 2014

Date of death: Feb 4, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Scioto Township Fire Department
3737 Ostrander RD U.S. National Grid: 17T LE 1175 6024
Ostrander, OH 43061-9611
Chief: Marvin McIntire

James Joseph Knesek, Sr.

James Joseph Knesek, Sr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 59

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Career

Incident date: Feb 8, 2014

Date of death: Feb 8, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Munster Fire Department
1005 Ridge RD U.S. National Grid: 16T DM 5791 0113
Munster, IN 46321
Chief: Assistant Fire Chief Dave Pelc

James C Wilber

James C Wilber was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 58

Rank: Assistant Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Feb 9, 2014 08:30

Date of death: Feb 9, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Responding

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Franklin Fire Department
PO Box 8, 351 Main ST U.S. National Grid: 18T VM 8633 8745
Franklin, NY 13775-0008
Chief: Tom Worden

William Scott Tanksley

William Scott Tanksley was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 40

Rank: Fire Rescue Officer

Classification: Career

Incident date: Feb 10, 2014 20:10

Date of death: Feb 10, 2014

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Support

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Non-Fire

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Dallas Fire Rescue Department
1500 Marilla Street, 7AS U. S. National Grid: 14S QB 0630 2863
Dallas, TX 75201
Chief: Louie Bright, III

Dennis Channell

Dennis Channell was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 55

Rank: Fire Captain

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Feb 9, 2014

Date of death: Feb 10, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Cerebrovascular Accident

Activity type: Unknown

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Non-Fire

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Poyen Fire Department
PO Box 218, 107 N Front ST U.S. National Grid: 15S WT 3307 9819
Poyen, AR 72128-0218
Chief: Claude Hardin

Jacob “Jake” T Harrell

Jacob “Jake” T Harrell was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 33

Rank: Pilot

Classification: Wildland Part-Time

Incident date: Jan 31, 2014 13:30

Date of death: Jan 31, 2014

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Arkansas Forestry Commission
3821 West Roosevelt Road U. S. National Grid: 15S WU 6250 4286
Little Rock, AR 72204
Chief: State Forester Joseph S. Fox

Randall “Randy” Ray Pogue

Randall “Randy” Ray Pogue was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 49

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Feb 2, 2014 12:00

Date of death: Feb 19, 2014

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Responding

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Oak Grove Fire District #25
PO Box 13244 U.S. National Grid: 15S WU 5752 6069
Maumelle, AR 72113
Chief: Acting Fire Chief Allen Lister

Homer “J.R.” William Harrell

Homer “J.R.” William Harrell was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 45

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Feb 24, 2014 10:30

Date of death: Feb 24, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Orange City Fire Department
215 N Holly Ave USNG: 17R MN 7098 0251
Orange City, FL 32763
Chief: Chris Johnson

Bruce E Britt

Bruce E Britt was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 48

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Feb 22, 2014 04:45

Date of death: Feb 22, 2014

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Crushed

Activity type: Search and Rescue

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Non-Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Columbia Fire Department
201 Orr ST U. S. National Grid: 15S WD 5848 1187
Columbia, MO 65201
Chief: Charles P. Witt, Jr.

Gregory “Barney” D Barnas

Gregory “Barney” D Barnas was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 57

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Feb 28, 2014 01:30

Date of death: Feb 28, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Ventilation

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Wallington Fire Department
54 Union BLVD U.S. National Grid: 18T WL 7462 2283
Wallington, NJ 07057
Chief: Jacob Hrywniak

Jerry Campbell

Jerry Campbell was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 61

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Wildland Full-Time

Incident date: Mar 1, 2014 23:50

Date of death: Mar 1, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Tennessee Department of Agriculture Division of Forestry
PO Box 40627, Melrose Station U.S. National Grid: 16S EE 2239 9116
Nashville, TN 37204
Chief: Assistant Commissioner and State Forester Jere Jeter

Steven Joseph Knaus

Steven Joseph Knaus was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 47

Rank: Firefighter First Class

Classification: Part-Time (Paid)

Incident date: Feb 28, 2014 20:44

Date of death: Feb 28, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Willowick Fire Department
30435 Lake Shore BLVD U.S. National Grid: 17T MG 6043 0975
Willowick, OH 44095-4624
Chief: Robert Posipanka

Kevin J Bristol

Kevin J Bristol was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 48

Rank: Firefighter/EMT

Classification: Career

Incident date: Mar 3, 2014 05:57

Date of death: Mar 3, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Peekskill Fire Department
828 Main ST U.S. National Grid: 18T WL 9017 7167
Peekskill, NY 10566-2016
Chief: Robert Fiorio

Jeffery E Bayless

Jeffery E Bayless was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 51

Rank: Senior Captain

Classification: Career

Incident date: Mar 7, 2014 11:48

Date of death: Mar 7, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Anchorage Fire Department
100 E 4th Avenue U.S. National Grid: 06V UN 4522 9053
Anchorage, AK 99501
Chief: Peter C. Bushue

Robert “Bobby” Joseph Mollere

Robert “Bobby” Joseph Mollere was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 61

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Paid-on-Call

Incident date: Mar 8, 2014 08:31

Date of death: Mar 8, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Hellsgate Fire Department
80 S. Walters Lane U.S. National Grid: USNG: 12S VC 7643 9042
Star Valley, AZ 85541
Chief: Chief Gary Hatch

Jamie Angelo Peite

Jamie Angelo Peite was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 43

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Paid-on-Call

Incident date: Mar 4, 2014 18:30

Date of death: Mar 5, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Ironwood Township Volunteer Fire Department
N10892 Lake RD U.S. National Grid: 15T YM 1828 5264
Ironwood, MI 49938
Chief: Mike Nelson

Joseph Edward Bove, III

Joseph Edward Bove, III was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 53

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Mar 13, 2014 12:18

Date of death: Mar 13, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Returning

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information: Wakes services are Monday from 2-4 & 6-9 and Funeral services will be held on Tuesday at 9:30Am in The Brunswick Memorial Home, 454 Cranbury Road, East Brunswick, N.J., followed by a 10:15am Mass of Christian Burial at Immaculate Conception Church in Spotswood. Interment will follow in Holy Cross Burial Park, South Brunswick

Department information

Spotswood Fire Department
495 Main Street U.S. National Grid: 18T WK 5185 7146
Spotswood, NJ 08884
Chief: William Andren

Wayne O'Neal Jeffers

Wayne O'Neal Jeffers was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 64

Rank: Captain/EMT

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Mar 15, 2014 13:48

Date of death: Mar 16, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

South Montgomery County Volunteer Fire Department
P.O. Box 116, 8898 Highway 94 U.S. National Grid: 16S EA 7863 4479
Ramer, AL 36069
Chief: David Miles

Tom D Stevens, Sr.

Tom D Stevens, Sr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 59

Rank: Assistant Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Mar 16, 2014 11:45

Date of death: Mar 17, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Bright Volunteer Fire Company
23759 Brightwood DR U.S. National Grid: 16S FJ 8486 4275
Lawrenceburg, IN 47025-9686
Chief: Kevin Gick

Edwin “Lance” Jeffery Wentzel

Edwin “Lance” Jeffery Wentzel was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 57

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Mar 22, 2014 17:46

Date of death: Mar 22, 2014

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Search and Rescue

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Non-Fire

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Youngwood Volunteer Fire Department
PO Box 237, Chestnut & 2nd ST U.S. National Grid: 17T PE 2094 5511
Youngwood, PA 15697-0237
Chief: Lloyd Crago

Edward J Walsh, Jr.

Edward J Walsh, Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 43

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Mar 26, 2014 14:50

Date of death: Mar 26, 2014

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Boston Fire Department
115 Southampton Street U.S. National Grid: 19T CG 2950 8870
Boston, MA 02118
Chief: Fire Commissioner John Hasson

Michael R Kennedy

Michael R Kennedy was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 33

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Mar 26, 2014 14:50

Date of death: Mar 26, 2014

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Boston Fire Department
115 Southampton Street U.S. National Grid: 19T CG 2950 8870
Boston, MA 02118
Chief: Fire Commissioner John Hasson

George Dillard Underwood

George Dillard Underwood was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 64

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Apr 2, 2014 18:00

Date of death: Apr 2, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Non-Fire

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Lake Volunteer Fire Department
PO Box 296 U.S. National Grid: 17S MB 2086 9841
Lake, WV 25121
Chief: Acting Fire Chief Mike Deskins, Jr.

Hugh “Bubba” Ferguson

Hugh “Bubba” Ferguson was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 52

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Apr 21, 2014 23:00

Date of death: Apr 21, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Incident Command

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Vacant Property

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Damon Volunteer Fire Department
PO Box 118, 3523 Cedar ST U.S. National Grid: 15R TN 3445 4345
Damon, TX 77430

Charles “Charlie” Edward Goff

Charles “Charlie” Edward Goff was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 53

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Apr 27, 2014 06:10

Date of death: Apr 27, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

McQuady Volunteer Fire and Rescue Department
84 Old Railroad Road U.S. National Grid: 16S EG 4241 7341
Falls of Rough, KY 40119
Chief: Jeremy Smiley

Jeffrey B. Newland

Jeffrey B. Newland was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 50

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Apr 23, 2014 10:00

Date of death: Apr 30, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Other

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

North Port Fire Rescue
4980 City Center BLVD U.S. National Grid: 17R LK 8087 9518
North Port, FL 34286-8037
Chief: William J. Taaffe

David W. Millett

David W. Millett was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 62

Rank: Captain-Safety Officer

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: May 10, 2014 06:40

Date of death: May 10, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Norway Fire Department
19 Danforth Street U.S. National Grid: 19T CJ 771 968
Norway, ME 04268
Chief: Dennis Yates

Ted F Drake

Ted F Drake was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 63

Rank: Fire Crew Supervisor

Classification: Wildland Full-Time

Incident date: May 17, 2014 08:00

Date of death: May 17, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Wyoming State Forestry Division
P.O. Box 160 U.S. National Grid: 13T EJ 6540 5864
Newcastle, WY 82701
Chief: State Forester Bill Crapser

Rickie K. Halcomb

Rickie K. Halcomb was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 56

Rank: Firefighter/Paramedic

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jun 6, 2000 05:52

Date of death: Mar 21, 2014

Cause of death: Exposure

Nature of death: Other

Activity type: Extrication

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Non-Fire

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Dayton Fire Department
300 North Main Street U.S. National Grid: 16S GK 4048 0526
Dayton, OH 45402
Chief: Jeff Payne

David P Fiori

David P Fiori was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 59

Rank: Deputy Chief

Classification: Career

Incident date: May 25, 2014 22:00

Date of death: May 26, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

New Britain Fire Department
27 West Main Street
New Britain, CT 06051
Chief: Thomas Ronalter

John “Mac” McDonald

John “Mac” McDonald was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 54

Rank: Battalion Chief

Classification: Career

Incident date: May 30, 2014 05:30

Date of death: May 30, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling Naval District
5 Castle AVE U.S. National Grid: 18S UJ 2522 0108
Washington, DC 20032
Chief: Acting District Chief Jeff Williams

Robert William Fogel, III

Robert William Fogel, III was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 58

Rank: Fire Apparatus Driver Operator

Classification: Career

Incident date: May 30, 2014

Date of death: May 30, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Baltimore County Fire Department
700 East Joppa RD U. S. National Grid: 18S UJ 6301 6242
Townson, MD 21286
Chief: John Hohman

Robert “Hawk” Carl Meyer

Robert “Hawk” Carl Meyer was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 54

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jun 8, 2014 18:00

Date of death: Jun 8, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Manufacturing

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Union Beach Fire Department
650 Poole AVE U.S. National Grid: 18T WK 6961 7684
Union Beach, NJ 07735
Chief: Ronald Burkhardt, Jr.

Donovan Garcia, Jr.

Donovan Garcia, Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 52

Rank: Assistant Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jun 5, 2014

Date of death: Jun 5, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Hungry Valley Volunteer Fire Department
9070 Eagle Canyon Drive USNG: 11S KD 6441 9898
Sparks, NV 89441
Chief: Daniel Thayer

Todd Allen Rummel

Todd Allen Rummel was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 43

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jun 19, 2014 21:00

Date of death: Jun 19, 2014

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Operating Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Three Forks Volunteer Fire Department
PO Box 444, 13 East Date ST U.S. National Grid: 12T VR 5720 8220
Three Forks, MT 59752
Chief: Keith Aune

Robert Bruce Thomas

Robert Bruce Thomas was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 52

Rank: Captain

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jun 30, 2014 22:00

Date of death: Jun 30, 2014

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Operating Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Returning

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Bienville Parish Fire Protection District 7
PO Box 309 USNG: 15S WR 1034 6688
Saline, LA 71070
Chief: Interim Fire Chief Quincy Plunkett

Gordon “Matt” Matthew Ambelas

Gordon “Matt” Matthew Ambelas was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 40

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jul 5, 2014 21:10

Date of death: Jul 5, 2014

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Search and Rescue

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Fire Department City of New York
9 Metro Tech Center U.S. National Grid: 18T WL 8566 0565
Brooklyn, NY 11201
Chief: Commissioner Daniel Nigro

Robert “Bud” Glenn Webster, Sr.

Robert “Bud” Glenn Webster, Sr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 64

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jul 4, 2006 17:04

Date of death: May 6, 2014

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Operating Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Glencoe Volunteer Fire Protection District
PO Box 102 U.S. National Grid: 16S FH 8928 8751
Glencoe, KY 41046
Chief: Robert Weber II

Daniel D Groover

Daniel D Groover was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 46

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jul 9, 2014 17:34

Date of death: Jul 9, 2014

Cause of death: Lost

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Houston Fire Department
600 Jefferson, 7th FL U.S. National Grid: 15R TN 7054 9373
Houston, TX 77002
Chief: Terry Garrison

Richard Lee Marchman

Richard Lee Marchman was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 66

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jul 9, 2014 12:00

Date of death: Jul 9, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Search and Rescue

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Non-Fire

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Indian Peaks Fire Protection District
PO Box 205 10 Utica ST
Ward, CO 80481
Chief: Norman Bowers

Matthew David Goodnature

Matthew David Goodnature was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 21

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Wildland Contract

Incident date: Jul 29, 2014 18:30

Date of death: Jul 29, 2014

Cause of death: Fall

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Fremont-Winema National Forrest
1301 South G ST U.S. National Grid: 10T GM 1910 7236
Lakeview, OR 97630
Chief: Joe Reinarz

Billy Glen Norris, Sr.

Billy Glen Norris, Sr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 62

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jul 21, 2014 02:00

Date of death: Jul 21, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Returning

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Lecompte Volunteer Fire Department
1305 Wall St U.S. National Grid: 15R WQ 5721 3935
Lecompte, LA 71346

James “Jamie” C Middlebrook

James “Jamie” C Middlebrook was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 41

Rank: Assistant Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Aug 4, 2014 21:44

Date of death: Aug 4, 2014

Cause of death: Collapse

Nature of death: Crushed

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Storage

Memorial fund information:

Department information

New Carlisle Fire Department
204 E Michigan U.S. National Grid: 16T EM 4098 1728
New Carlisle, IN 46552
Chief: Joshua Schweizer

Jonathan Eric French

Jonathan Eric French was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 25

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Aug 6, 2014 03:30

Date of death: Aug 6, 2014

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Glendale Fire Department
405 Main ST U.S. National Grid: 16S EG 9672 6214
Glendale, KY 42740
Chief: Richard Peters

Douglas James Casson

Douglas James Casson was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 46

Rank: Safety Officer

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Aug 6, 2014 02:00

Date of death: Aug 6, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Vaughn Rural Volunteer Fire Department
380 Post Avenue
Vaughn, MT 59487
Chief: Jason McAllister

Darrell D Parker

Darrell D Parker was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 56

Rank: Chaplain/Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Aug 10, 2014 08:00

Date of death: Aug 13, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Driving/Riding Personal Vehicle

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Fairbury Rural Fire Department
3020 Industrial AVE U.S. National Grid: 14T PK 5552 4767
Fairbury, NE 68352
Chief: Kenny Krause

Dave “Chief 5” Anderson

Dave “Chief 5” Anderson was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 66

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jul 22, 2014 10:00

Date of death: Aug 25, 2014

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Operating Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Fort Shaw Fire Department
P.O. Box #68, 140 Campbell Street U.S. National Grid: 12T VT 387 620
Fort Shaw, MT 59443
Chief: Assist Chief/Acting Chief Craig Askeland

William “Uncle Will” Russell Wiita

William “Uncle Will” Russell Wiita was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 47

Rank: Assistant Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Sep 8, 2014 20:41

Date of death: Sep 8, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Returning

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Coldsprings-Excelsior Fire and Rescue Station #6
6565 County Road 612 NE U.S. National Grid: 16T FQ 5506 5948
Kalkaska, MI 49646
Chief: Tim McCullen

Richard L Choate

Richard L Choate was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 68

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Sep 8, 2014 07:08

Date of death: Sep 8, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Byram Township Fire Department
PO Box 361, 225 U.S. 206, , NJ U.S. National Grid: 18T WL 2245 3318
Andover, NJ 07821
Chief: Charles "Chuck" Putz

Kevin J Ollier

Kevin J Ollier was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 60

Rank: Firefighter/Paramedic

Classification: Career

Incident date: Sep 4, 2014 15:43

Date of death: Sep 5, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Anderson Township Fire & Rescue Department
7850 Five Mile RD U.S. National Grid: 16S GJ 2911 2896
Anderson Township, OH 45230
Chief: Mark J. Ober

John Derek Gupton

John Derek Gupton was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 24

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Sep 16, 2014 17:05

Date of death: Sep 16, 2014

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Operating Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Justice Rural Volunteer Fire Department
4113 N. Carolina Highway 581
Spring Hope, NC 27882
Chief: Kelly Harris

Anthony “Tony” Lynn Grider

Anthony “Tony” Lynn Grider was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 41

Rank: Captain

Classification: Career

Incident date: Aug 21, 2014 11:30

Date of death: Sep 20, 2014

Cause of death: Contact With

Nature of death: Electrocution

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Campbellsville Fire-Rescue Department
100 W Broadway St U.S. National Grid: 16S FG 4649 3398
Campbellsville, KY 42718
Chief: Kyle Smith

Allen R Westby

Allen R Westby was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 67

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Sep 22, 2014 17:21

Date of death: Sep 23, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

East Islip Fire Department
30 East Main Street U.S. National Grid: 18T XL 5287 1051
East Islip, NY 11730
Chief: Keith Villano

J. B. Hutton, Jr.

J. B. Hutton, Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 77

Rank: Assistant Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Oct 1, 2014 14:30

Date of death: Oct 1, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Dermott Volunteer Fire Department
115 E Peddicord ST U.S. National Grid: 15S XT 4545 1074
Dermott, AR 71638
Chief: Morris Parker

Kevin Lamont Bell

Kevin Lamont Bell was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 48

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Oct 7, 2014 18:30

Date of death: Oct 7, 2014

Cause of death: Unknown

Nature of death: Unknown

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Hartford Fire Department
253 High ST U.S. National Grid: 18T XM 9300 2710
Hartford, CT 06103
Chief: Carlos M. Huertas

Geoffrey “Craig” Hunt

Geoffrey “Craig” Hunt was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 62

Rank: Pilot

Classification: Wildland Contract

Incident date: Oct 7, 2014 16:30

Date of death: Oct 7, 2014

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

Department information

CAL FIRE
PO Box 944246, 1416 9th Street U.S. National Grid: 10S FH 3093 7079
Sacramento, CA 94244-2460
Chief: Ken Pimlott

Eddie Joe Johnson, Jr.

Eddie Joe Johnson, Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 45

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Oct 20, 2014 12:00

Date of death: Oct 20, 2014

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Operating Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Alton Fire Department
PO Box 247, 101 Pine Street U. S. National Grid: 15S XA 4300 6227
Alton, MO 65606-0247

Christi Marie Rodgers

Christi Marie Rodgers was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 26

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Oct 24, 2014 04:53

Date of death: Oct 24, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Responding

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Robert Fulton Fire Company
PO Box 8, 2271 Robert Fulton Hwy U.S. National Grid: 18S UK 9902 0342
Peach Bottom, PA 17563
Chief: Tracy L. Tomlinson

Donald “Pete” F Martin

Donald “Pete” F Martin was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 84

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Oct 30, 2014 20:30

Date of death: Oct 30, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Sanborn Fire Company
5811 Buffalo Street
Sanborn, NY 14132
Chief: Robert Hoover

Kellen Andrew Fleming

Kellen Andrew Fleming was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 29

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Nov 1, 2014 02:00

Date of death: Nov 1, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Westview-Fairforest Fire Department
311 North Blackstock RD U.S. National Grid: 17S MU 0835 6651
Spartanburg, SC 29301
Chief: Scott Garrett

Malcolm Wright Jenkins

Malcolm Wright Jenkins was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 60

Rank: Major

Classification: Career

Incident date: Oct 30, 2014 21:00

Date of death: Oct 30, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Fern Creek Fire Department
9409 Old Bardstown RD U.S. National Grid: 16S FH 2562 1834
Louisville, KY 40291
Chief: Mike Schmidt, Jr.

James E Bethea

James E Bethea was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 62

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Nov 12, 2014 07:00

Date of death: Nov 12, 2014

Cause of death: Fall

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Scene Safety

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Baltimore City Fire Department
401 E. Fayette Street
Baltimore, MD 21202
Chief: Niles Ford

Christopher James Hunter

Christopher James Hunter was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 38

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Nov 14, 2014 03:05

Date of death: Nov 16, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Cinnaminson Fire Department
1621 Riverton Road USNG: 18S WK 0049 2756
Cinnaminson, NJ 08077
Chief: William Kramer, Jr.

Richard Donald Weisse, Sr.

Richard Donald Weisse, Sr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 59

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Nov 15, 2014 11:00

Date of death: Nov 15, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Educational

Memorial fund information:

Department information

St. James Fire District
221 Jefferson Ave USNG: 18T XL 5515 2647
St. James, NY 11780
Chief: Michael Grayson

Alejandro Castro

Alejandro Castro was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 40

Rank: Pump Operator/Paramedic

Classification: Career

Incident date: Nov 16, 2014 22:30

Date of death: Nov 16, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Brownsville Fire Department
625 E 12th ST U.S. National Grid: 14R PP 5054 6570
Brownsville, TX 78520
Chief: Leonardo L. Perez

James Steven Foote

James Steven Foote was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 57

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Nov 18, 2014 19:51

Date of death: Nov 18, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Summit Fire Department
2912 ST RT 10 U.S. National Grid: 18T WN 3393 1449
Summit, NY 12175-0400
Chief: Don Clarke

Samir “Sam” P. Ashmar

Samir “Sam” P. Ashmar was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 51

Rank: Fire Marshal

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Nov 20, 2014 12:30

Date of death: Nov 20, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Upper Macungie Township Station 56, Inc.
6510 Schantz Road U.S. National Grid: 18T VK 4974 9227
Allenton, PA 18104
Chief: Leroy Gross

Arthur “Art” E Treon

Arthur “Art” E Treon was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 62

Rank: County Fire Coordinator / Deputy OEM Coordinator

Classification: Career

Incident date: Nov 18, 2014 20:19

Date of death: Nov 19, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Support

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Cape May County Office of Emergency Management
30 Mechanic St U.S. National Grid: 18S WJ 1512 2600
Cape May Court House, NJ 08210
Chief: Martin L. Pagliughi

James “Tom” Thomas Rhamey

James “Tom” Thomas Rhamey was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 71

Rank: Firefighter-EMT

Classification: Paid-on-Call

Incident date: Nov 18, 2014 13:50

Date of death: Nov 28, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Standby

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Western Holmes County Fire and EMS – Lakeville Station
13979 ST RT 226 U.S. National Grid: 17T MF 0500 0145
Lakeville, OH 44638
Chief: John Rush

John Morgan Burns

John Morgan Burns was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 60

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Career

Incident date: Dec 3, 2014 06:45

Date of death: Dec 3, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Myrtle Beach Fire Department
PO Box 2468, 921-B Oak ST U.S. National Grid: 17S PT 9622 3051
Myrtle Beach, SC 29577-2468
Chief: Alvin Payne

Joyce M Craig-Lewis

Joyce M Craig-Lewis was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 36

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Dec 9, 2014 02:49

Date of death: Dec 9, 2014

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Burns

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Philadelphia Fire Department
240 Spring Garden Street U.S. National Grid: 18S VK 8778 2339
Philadelphia, PA 19123
Chief: Derrick J. V. Sawyer

Gus Losleben

Gus Losleben was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 69

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Dec 9, 2014 09:30

Date of death: Dec 9, 2014

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Operating Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Hardin County Fire Department
465 Main ST U.S. National Grid: 16S CD 8622 9872
Savannah, TN 38372
Chief: Melvin Martin

Ricky Wooten Doub

Ricky Wooten Doub was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 61

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Dec 16, 2014 13:45

Date of death: Dec 16, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Forbush Volunteer Fire Department
4725 Old Hwy 421 East U.S. National Grid: 17S NV 4328 9677
Yadkinville, NC 27055
Chief: Deputy Chief Dale Couch

Joseph “Junior” Sanford Jr.

Joseph “Junior” Sanford Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 43

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Dec 19, 2014 04:00

Date of death: Dec 23, 2014

Cause of death: Fall

Nature of death: Burns

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Inwood Fire Department
188 Doughty BLVD U.S. National Grid: 18T XK 0605 9700
Inwood, NY 11096
Chief: Anthony Rivelli

James Joseph Woods, II

James Joseph Woods, II was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 44

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Dec 25, 2014

Date of death: Dec 26, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Jersey City Fire Department
465 Marin BLVD U.S. National Grid: 18T WL 8102 0879
Jersey City, NJ 07302-2111
Chief: Darren Rivers

Ross E Huffner

Ross E Huffner was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 66

Rank: Firefighter/EMT

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Feb 26, 2014

Date of death: Feb 27, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Nesconset Fire Department

Nesconset, NY
Chief: Doug Sneider

Frank L Obremski

Frank L Obremski was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 64

Rank: Deputy Fire Coordinator

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Mar 10, 2014

Date of death: Mar 23, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Cerebrovascular Accident

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Suffolk County Department of Fire, Rescue, and Emergency Services

Suffolk, VA

Chief: Commissioner Joesph Williams

Melvin R Loder

Melvin R Loder was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 68

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Apr 18, 2014

Date of death: Apr 19, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Elba Fire Department

Elba, NY

Chief: Michael Heale

Fred “Freddie” Edwards Jr.

Fred “Freddie” Edwards Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 66

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: May 7, 2014 17:49

Date of death: May 7, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Liberty Fire Department

Liberty, NY

Chief: Chief Harold Huggler III

Michael Charles Kucsma, Jr.

Michael Charles Kucsma, Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 43

Rank: Deputy Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jun 16, 2014 09:08

Date of death: Jun 16, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Gorham Fire Department

Gorham, ME

Chief: Robert Lefebvre

Paul Franklin Walters, II

Paul Franklin Walters, II was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 55

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Sep 30, 2014

Date of death: Oct 11, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Bethlehem Fire Department

Wheeling, WV

Chief: Trent Kiziminski

Stephen “Brad” Bradley McCoy

Stephen “Brad” Bradley McCoy was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 36

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Nov 21, 2014 01:00

Date of death: Nov 21, 2014

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Search and Rescue

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

Department information

Nantahala Volunteer Fire and Rescue

Topton, NC

Chief: David Moore

